Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 824. A bill to redesignate the Federal building located at 717 Madison Place, NW., in the District of Columbia, as the "Howard T. Markey National Courts Building" (Rept. No. 105–211). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 1851. A bill to designate the U.S. courthouse located at 200 South Washington Street in Alexandria, VA, as the "Martin V. B. Bostetter, Jr. United States Courthouse" (Rept. No. 105–212). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. GOSS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 198. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2266) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-213). Referred to the House Calendar. Mr. DREIER: Committee on Rules. House

Resolution 199. Resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2264) making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-214). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶88.40 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of Rule X and clause 4 of Rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. SANDERS:

H.R. 2278. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the minimum wage and to provide for an increase in such wage based on the cost of living; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OWENS, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Ms. Furse, Ms. Eddie BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 2279. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to establish limitations on taxpayer-financed compensation for defense contractors; to the Committee on National

H.R. 2280. A bill to establish limitations on the ability of a Federal agency to pay a contractor under a contract with the agency for the costs of compensation with respect to the services of any individual; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, and in addition to the Committee on National Security, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. CLEMENT (for himself, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. HALL of Ohio. Mr. WOLF. Ms. LOFGREN. and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey):

H. Con. Res. 127. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the Nation must place greater emphasis on helping young Americans to develop habits of good character that are essential to their own well-being and to that of our communities; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania (for himself, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. DOYLE, and Mr. COYNE):

H. Con. Res. 128. Concurrent resolution recognizing and honoring the crew members of the U.S.S. Pittsburgh for their heroism in March 1945 rendering aid and assistance to the U.S.S. Franklin and its crew; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. DINGELL (for himself, Mr. MARKEY, and Ms. LOFGREN):

H. Res. 200. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Federal Government should not withhold universal service support payments; to the Committee on Commerce.

¶88.41 MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII. memorials were presented and referred as fol-

156. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the State of Nevada, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 urging Congress to reform the Food and Drug Administration to ensure that health care products, therapies and cures are available to the public in a timely manner; to the Committee on Commerce.

157. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Nevada, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 16 urging interested public and private entities to work cooperatively for the establishment and operation of public shooting ranges and recreational facilities in Clark County, Nevada; to the Committee on Resources.

158. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Nevada, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 urging Congress to provide for a bridge with four traffic lanes to serve as a bypass to the existing highway over Hoover Dam; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

¶88.42 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 15: Mr. TURNER.

H.R. 26: Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. PETRI, Mrs. EMERSON, and Mr. LoBiondo.

H.R. 40: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 55: Mr. LAZIO of New York and Mrs. McCarthy of New York.

H.R. 58: Mr. TURNER and Mr. Fox of Penn-

H.R. 291: Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Oberstar, Mr. McGovern, Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. WYNN, Ms. MILLENDER-McDonald, and Mr. Becerra.

H.R. 648: Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 693: Mr. SESSIONS

H.R. 715: Mr. McCollum and Ms. Sanchez.

H.R. 836: Mrs. Thurman.

H.R. 859: Mr. CANADY of Florida.

H.R. 922: Mr. GUTKNECHT.

H.R. 923: Mr. GUTKNECHT.

H.R. 983: Mr. Bonior.

H.R. 1049: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 1059: Mr. HOEKSTRA and Mr. WELDON of Florida.

H.R. 1060: Mr. METCALF, Mr. GORDON, Mr. GREEN, Mr. KLINK, Mr. JOHN, Mr. WHITE, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. Fox of Pennsylvania, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. SNYDER, and Mr. COOKSEY.

H.R. 1063: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia and Mr. Franks of New Jersey.

H.R. 1079: Ms. RIVERS, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. Allen, Mr. Poshard, Mr. Visclosky, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. FILNER, and Mr. UNDERWOOD.

H.R. 1140: Mr. BOYD.

H.R. 1159: Mr. DELLUMS.

H.R. 1166: Mrs. Thurman, Ms. Slaughter, Mr. RUSH, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. DEUTSCH, and Mr. RIGGS.

H.R. 1175: Mr. KIM.

H.R. 1283: Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington. H.R. 1289: Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. FOLEY, and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H.R. 1311: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 1329: Ms. CARSON.

H.R. 1349: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 1355: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 1356: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts and Mr. SMITH of Oregon.

H.R. 1357: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H.R. 1363: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. BROWN of California, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. DEL-

H.R. 1364: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. BROWN of California, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. DEL-LUMS.

H.R. 1398: Mr. WOLF and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 1410: Mrs. KELLY

H.R. 1425: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 1428: Mr. SHAW.

H.R. 1437: Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 1450: Mr. MANTON.

H.R. 1524: Mr. BARR of Georgia.

H.R. 1542: Mr. ENSIGN. Mr. CALVERT. and Mr. Boyd.

H.R. 1596: Mr. KIM.

H.R. 1616: Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. RUSH, Mrs. CLAYTON, and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 1628: Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. McGovern, and Mr. CAL-VERT.

H.R. 1665: Mr. STUMP Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 1679: Mr. MURTHA

H.R. 1766: Mr. STENHOLM.

H.R. 1773: Mr. STENHOLM.

H.R. 1799: Mr. McHugh and Mr. NEY.

H.R. 1836: Mr. GILMAN and Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 1880: Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. PETRI, and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 1885: Mr. BORSKI

H.R. 1903: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan and Mr. CAPPS

H.R. 1913: Mr. SNYDER and Mr. KANJORSKI. H.R. 2072: Mr. BARTON of Texas. Mr. SMITH of Texas, and Mr. FROST

H.R. 2103: Mr. RYUN. H.R. 2112: Mr. MURTHA.

H.R. 2116: Mr. VENTO, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. MAR-TINEZ, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado, and Mr. SAWYER.

H.R. 2129: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. Costello, Mr. Sabo, Mr. Stokes, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. COLLINS, and Mr. GILLMOR.

H.R. 2135: Mr. VISCLOSKY, Mr. UNDERWOOD, and Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 2162: Mr. GOODE, Mr. STUMP, and Mr. CRAPO.

H.R. 2174: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. MENENDEZ, and Mr. Ackerman.

H.R. 2198: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 2221: Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 2263: Mr. STENHOLM.

H.J. Res. 78: Mr. BEREUTER and Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado.

H. Con. Res. 6: Mr. LAFALCE and Ms. ROY-BAL-ALLARD.

H. Con. Res. 55: Mr. KIM.

H. Con. Res. 80: Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mr. Blumenauer, Mr. Skaggs, Mr. YATES, and Mr. KIM.

H. Con. Res. 98: Mrs. EMERSON.

H. Con. Res. 124: Mr. MILLER of California and Mr. DICKS.

H. Res. 37: Ms. Woolsey.

H. Res. 131: Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon.

H. Res. 170: Mr. CALVERT and Ms. WOOLSEY. H. Res. 171: Mr. CASTLE, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Mr. ROTHMAN.

TUESDAY, JULY 29, 1997 (89)

¶89.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO

The House was called to order at 9 o'clock a.m. by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON, who laid before the House the following communication:

Washington, DC, July 29, 1997.

I hereby designate the Honorable JO ANN EMERSON to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, pursuant to the order of the House of Tuesday, January 21, 1997, Members were recognized for "morning-hour debate".

¶89.2 RECESS—9:38 A.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess until 10:00 a.m.

¶89.3 AFTER RECESS—10 A.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Ms. PRYCE, called the House to order.

¶89.4 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Ms. PRYCE, announced she had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of July 28, 1997.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

¶89.5 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

4431. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Vermont; Approval of PM10 State Implementation Plan (SIP) Revision and Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes [VT-014-01-1216(a); A-1-FRL-5860-2] received July 22, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4432. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report, determination and certification on a chemical weapons proliferation sanctions matter; to the Committee on International Relations.

$\P 89.6$ Message from the senate

A message from the Senate by Ms. McDevitt, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed with an amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 2203. An Act making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate insists upon its amendment to the bill (H.R. 2203) "An Act making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes," requests a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appoints Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. GORTON, Mr. McConnell, Mr. Bennett, Mr. BURNS, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. REID, Mr. BYRD, Mr. HOLLINGS, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. KOHL, and Mr. DORGAN, to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

¶89.7 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2206

Mr. GOSS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 198):

Resolved. That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2266) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. Points of order against consideration of the bill for failure to comply with clause 2(1)(6) of rule XI, clause 7 of rule XXI, or section 306 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. Points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 or 6 of rule XXI are waived. During consideration of the bill for amendment, the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the Member offering an amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 6 of rule XXIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. The Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on any postponed question that follows another electronic vote without intervening business, provided that the minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any series of questions shall be fifteen minutes. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered. After debate.

On motion of Mr. GOSS, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶89.8 DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. COBLE, pursuant to House Resolution 198 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2266) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. COBLE, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. CAMP as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein.

¶89.9 RECORDED VOTE

A recorded vote by electronic device was ordered in the Committee of the Whole on the following amendment submitted by Mr. OBEY:

Page 27, line 23, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$331.000.000)".

Page 31, line 2, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(increased by \$105,000,000)".

Page 35, line 18, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(increased by \$12,000,000)".

Page 35, line 19, after the dollar amount, insert the following: "(increased by \$12,000,000)".

It was decided in the negative X Yeas 200 Nays 222

¶89.10 [Roll No. 336] AYES—200

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